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find a single instance of the assertion of such a claim . . . Tragically, we are in an era today when experimentation is being adjudged guilty until proven innocent.

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## LETTERS TO FORTUNE

## **Scientific Freedom**

To the Editors:

In your August editorial, "Truth and Consequences on Frontiers of Science," you assert a Frankenstein model of science that may be widely accepted but has a dubious foundation in fact. You alluded to "a doctrine that is widely and sometimes passionately avowed in the scientific community—that scientists should be free to pursue the truth all the way, and that any attempt to set a limit or call a halt represents intolerable interference with scientific freedom."

I question whether you can